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Today's Topics:

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 26 Jan 1994 05:54:52 GMT
From: agate!howland.reston.ans.net!cs.utexas.edu!gerald@cc.utexas.edu!
astro.as.utexas.edu!oo7@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: A43YY - QSL route
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Does anyone know anything about A43YY and a QSL route? I have
been getting QSL cards from Japan but I am not the QSL manager.
I know how the misinformation started - quite innocently and
understandably - but would like to tell people how to reach this
op when I send their cards back. The W6G0/K6HHD list gives A47RS
(the A4 club station) as the route for A43XX, but I dunno whether
XX and YY are related in any way. I have the latest international
callbook and A43YY is not listed there.

Thanks for any help or suggestions,

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Date: 26 Jan 1994 18:21:43 GMT
From: pagesat.net!olivea!sgigate.sgi.com!sgiblab!sdd.hp.com!elroy.jpl.nasa.gov!
swrinde!cs.utexas.edu!howland.reston.ans.net!vixen.cso.uiuc.edu!
newsrelay.iastate.edu!hobbess.physics@news.cerf.net
Subject: Callbook Server
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

I also cannot get a connection to cc.buffalo.edu 2000 but calsign.cs.buffalo.
edu 2000 works just fine.

Date: Tue, 25 Jan 1994 19:48:24 GMT
From: world!cravit@uunet.uu.net
Subject: Computing antenna coverage
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

A friend of mine asked me this question, and I do not know the answer.
If one has an antenna (say a vertical or something, as opposed to a
beam) that is x feet above ground level, how does one compute the
approximate coverage area of that antenna (in square miles)? For
example, see the following diagram



If we assume that the distance x is, say, 200 feet and that the ground
around the antenna is relatively flat, is there a way to estimate the

area of coverage for that antenna?

Thanks,

/MC

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Matthew Cravit, N9VWG	All opinions expressed here are
Michigan State University	my own. I don't speak for The World,
East Lansing, MI 48825	and they don't speak for me (luckily
E-Mail: cravit@world.std.com	for both of us).

Date: Sun, 23 Jan 1994 20:05:08 GMT
From: usc!elroy.jpl.nasa.gov!swrinde!cs.utexas.edu!howland.reston.ans.net!
news.intercon.com!psinntp!pixar!bruce@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: FCC Daily Digest - 1994-01-21
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

[downloaded from the FCC's bulletin board]

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The following items were adopted at the Commission
meeting on January 19 and released later that day:

NEWS RELEASES

CERTAIN FEATURES ON LEC PRICE CAPS MODIFIED TO
COMPLIMENT RESTRUCTURING OF TRANSPORT RATES - CC DOCKET
91-213 (Report DC-2558, Action in Docket Case)

Modified certain features of the price cap regulatory
system applicable to LECs to complement the recent
restructuring of the LECs' transport rates.

Action by the Commission January 19 by Second R&O
(FCC 94-9).

News Media contact: Rosemary Kimball at (202) 632-
5050; Common Carrier Bureau contact: David L. Sieradzki
at (202) 632-1304.

COMMISSION BEGINS COMPREHENSIVE FOURTH YEAR REVIEW OF
THE PRICE CAP PLAN FOR LECS; NOTICE SEEKS COMMENTS ON
REVISIONS TO PRICE CAP RULES THAT WOULD BETTER ACHIEVE
COMMISSION GOALS IN THE YEARS AHEAD - CC DOCKET 94-1

(Report DC-2559, Action in Docket Case)

Action by the Commission January 19 by NPRM (FCC 94-10).

News Media contact: Rosemary Kimball at (202) 632-5050; Common Carrier Bureau contacts: Dan Grosh at (202) 632-6387, Joanne Wall at (202) 632-6917 and Greg Vogt at (202) 632-6387.

COMMISSION PROPOSES RULES AND POLICIES FOR MOBILE SATELLITE SERVICES IN THE 1610-1626.5/2483.5-2500 MHZ FREQUENCY - CC DOCKET 92-165 (Report DC-2556, Action in Docket Case)

Proposed regulations for licensing and operation of mobile satellite systems to provide a variety of voice and data mobile satellite services in these bands.

Action by the Commission January 19 by NPRM (FCC 94-11).

News Media contact: Patricia A. Chew at (202) 632-5050; Common Carrier Bureau contact: Fern Jarmulnek or Harry Ng at (202) 634-1682.

COMMISSION SEEKS COMMENT REGARDING PROPOSAL TO REDESIGNATE THE 28 GHZ BAND TO POINT-TO-MULTIPOINT SERVICES -- CC DOCKET 92-297 (Report DC-2557, Action in Docket Case)

Pursuant to the Negotiated Rulemaking Act, began process to determine whether FCC should implement a Negotiated Rulemaking Proceeding to allow industry participants to reach a consensus on methods of sharing the 27.5-29.5 GHz band.

Action by the Commission January 19 by Second NPRM (FCC 94-12).

News Media contact: Patricia A. Chew at (202) 632-5050; Common Carrier Bureau contact: Susan Magnotti at (202) 634-1773.

ADDENDUM: The following items, released January 19, were not listed on Digest 12:

NEWS RELEASES

MICHAEL L. KATZ TO BE APPOINTED CHIEF ECONOMIST

MARY ELLEN BURNS NAMED CHIEF, CABLE BUREAU'S CONSUMER

PROTECTION DIVISION

ROBERT CORN-REVERE TO LEAVE FCC

FCC CLOSES ITS OFFICES EARLY

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Bruce Perens AB6YM Bruce@Pixar.com 510-215-3502

Date: 24 Jan 1994 01:48:45 GMT

From: noc.near.net!news.delphi.com!jimbedient@uunet.uu.net

Subject: Global Alert For All: Jesus is Comin

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

>I remember reading somewhere that the Lost Ark of the Covenant was really an
>extraterrestrial sub-space transceiver, left behind by the same beings that
>gave some of their construction and architecture expertise to the Egyptians,
>Mayans, etc.

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>|0| Blake Schreckenbach, | "It's a 106 miles to Chicago, we've got a full

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>|0| KC5DRP | tank of gas, half a packet of cigarettes, It's

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>|0| University of Texas | dark, and we're wearing sunglasses. Hit it."

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>|0| at San Antonio | -- Jake & Elwood Blues | blake@lonestar.utsa.edu

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> |

Cool. Do you have it for sale?

Jim WH6EF

Date: Wed, 26 Jan 1994 05:59:26 GMT
From: netcomsv!netcom.com!wy1z@decwrl.dec.com
Subject: Ham Radio and More talkshow
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In article <9401251826.AA21834@pobox.wellfleet> ginsburg@wellfleet.com writes:
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>My local Talk America Radio Network affiliate (1510 in the Boston area) didn't
>run "Ham Radio and More" this past Sunday evening. Did anyone in a different
>part of the country hear the show, or was it QRT nationally?

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>Scott Ginsburg	Voice: 508-436-3836	too much DX,
>Wellfleet Communications	Internet: ginsburg@wellfleet.com	too little
>2 Federal St.	Amateur Radio: WA2CJT	time...
>Billerica, MA 01821		

Hi, Scott:

After a 30 minute lag due to technical problems, the show finally went on
at 6:30pm EST.

Fred Maia, W5YI, was the guest of honor. Due to the short time he had,
Fred briefly summarized everything his empire has available for hams and
ham-wanna-bees.

They also had time for two callers at the end of the show.

I also heard the show on 1510AM, WSSH.

73,
Scott

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| Amateur Radio: wy1z AX.25: wy1z@k1ugm.ma.usa.na |

Date: 24 Jan 1994 18:04:45 GMT
From: sdd.hp.com!spool.mu.edu!howland.reston.ans.net!cs.utexas.edu!swrinde!
sgiblab!cs.uoregon.edu!news.uoregon.edu!fp2-st-affairs-11.uoregon.edu!
user@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: Omni VI/ FT990 comparisons
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In a recent posting, I mentioned that purchased an Omni VI within the last month. Since that posting, several hams have replied asking for my opinions of the radio.

One of those hams was asking for my comparison of the Omni VI with the FT-990 since he was contemplating the purchase of one or the other rigs.

To help him and others who might be in the same quandry, has anyone performed any side by side comparisons or have direct experience with each radio?

If so, please post your likes/dislikes about each.

Thanks,
Steve

Date: 26 Jan 1994 16:44:37 GMT
From: mvb.saic.com!unogate!news.service.uci.edu!usc!howland.reston.ans.net!
vixen.cso.uiuc.edu!ux2.cso.uiuc.edu!ignacy@network.ucsd.edu
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

References <2i38ta\$ki6@charm.magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu>,
<2i3npc\$4bt@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>, <2i44fb\$e2h@news.acns.nwu.edu>
Subject : Re: CW filters and DSP-9

rdewan@casbah.acns.nwu.edu (Rajiv Dewan) writes:

>In article <2i3npc\$4bt@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>,
>Ignacy Misztal <ignacy@ux2.cso.uiuc.edu> wrote:
>>wvanhorn@magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu (William E Van Horne) writes:
>>
>>>Kein{nen Paul wrote:
>>.....
>>
>>>Can someone with a great deal more technical knowledge than I have
>>>state just what is the minimum usable bandwidth for a 10-20 WPM CW

>>>signal, and how much audible ringing is truly inescapable?
>>
>>>73, Van - W8U0F
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>>I assume that G is an average-size letter in Morse and the
>>transmission is at 120 wpm (2 characters/s). G's sound is:

Sorry, I meant 20 wpm or 120 chars/second.

Ignacy, N09E

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